

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: P. HABERMEYER, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/586,459  
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For: HUMERAL HEAD PROSTHESIS  
Group: 3738  
Examiner: Jason-Dennis Neilken STEWART  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 14, 2008

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed November 14, 2008. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1110.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (635.46315X00) and excess fees credited to account.

Respectfully submitted,

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